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## Rainy Day Specials!

Seventy-five Ladie's Fine Umbrellas, Mercerized Covers, fancy and plain handles, steel rods, at

**\$1.00**

Seventy-five Ladie's Union Silk Umbrellas, best frames, oxidized and plain handles, as good as you buy at \$2.00, for

**\$1.50**

## :- Rubber Clothing :-

Men's Best Slickers, Extra Long, Guaranteed Waterproof.

Men's Slicker Suits--jacket, pants and hat, absolutely water proof. Fine covert, rubber lined coat, extra long, the very best rain coat to buy, at

**\$4.00**

**J. H. Anderson & Co.**

Buggies, \*

Surreys, \*

Phaetons \*

**AT COST.**

Here is your opportunity to buy what you want cheaper than you ever saw same class of goods.

For one Week, Commencing Monday, June 22nd, WE WILL SELL

**FOR CASH**

Any job in our house AT ACTUAL COST. Our \$37.50 top buggy not included in this sale. We must move 15 or 20 jobs to make room for other jobs on the way. Come quick if you want to get choice.

**F. A. YOST & CO.**  
207 South Main St.

## PROF. W. H. HARRISON

Will Leave Bethel Female College, This City,

To Become President of the Old And Honored Bethel College at Russellville.

Prof. Wm. H. Harrison, Vice-President of Bethel Female College, and one of the most scholarly educators in Western Kentucky, was on Wednesday elected President of Bethel College, at Russellville.

There were several applicants, but the Board of Trustees wired Prof. Harrison to come to Russellville and, though not an applicant in the sense of seeking the place, he was prevailed upon to accept the position.

He will prove a worthy successor to Dr. Noah K. Davis, now of the University of Virginia; Dr. J. W. Rust, Dr. W. S. Ryland, Prof. Leslie Wagner and other noted teachers who have been his predecessors.

The retirement of Prof. Harrison and his wife from the faculty of the Bethel Female College will be a distinct loss, but his father, Dr. Edmund Harrison, the President, will secure other teachers to fill their places, and maintain the present high standard of the local school.

Prof. Harrison is but little more than 35 years of age and is perhaps the youngest President Bethel ever had. He is equal to every requirement, possessing rare executive ability, strong intellectually, scholarly attainments and a personality that makes him universally popular. We regret immeasurably that he is to leave Hopkinsville, but he cannot be blamed for accepting the flattering promotion. The honor is one seldom offered to men of his age and, coming unsolicited, it is a source of pride and gratification to all the friends he has made since he came to Hopkinsville seven years ago.

## NEW TEACHERS

Engaged for the Faculty of Bethel Female College.

Dr. Edmund Harrison announces four new teachers for Bethel Female college next year.

Mrs. H. E. Stone will be teacher of English, Language and Literature. She resigns a position in Raleigh, N. C., Female University to come here. She is at present a lecturer on history to a summer school at Asheville, N. C. She takes Miss Ione Newman's place.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, a graduate of the New England conservatory and the normal department also, at Boston, with five years' experience, will be the teacher of piano.

Miss Elizabeth Mooney, a graduate of the same conservatory, and of the Emerson School of Oratory, will teach vocal music, elocution and physical culture.

Miss Mary Wright, one of this year's pupils, will return as supervisor of practice in the music department.

The place made vacant by Prof. W. H. Harrison will be supplied by a teacher fully competent in all respects.

## TOBACCO SALES.

Nearly Eight Hundred Hogsheds Disposed of This Week.

Sales this week were again heavy, the number of hogsheds disposed of, including lap in last week's sale, being 725. Sales for the year, 4031 hogsheds. Receipts for the week were 250 hogsheds, and for the year, 8,765 hogsheds.

## Miss Drake's Wedding Day.

Miss Elizabeth Drake, of Gardner, Mass., who was teacher of music in Bethel Female College last session, will be married next Wednesday, June 17, to Mr. George Matthews.

## PLAN BIG SHOW.

This Year's State Fair to Eclipse all Previous Efforts.

Premiums Aggregating \$20,000 Will Be Awarded Successful Competitors.

Although four months away, plans are already well matured for Kentucky's Second Annual State Fair, to be held this year on the splendid fair grounds at Owensboro, September 21 to 26.

A contract has already been signed for Kurkamp's band of forty pieces to play during the entire week. Popular concerts are to be given each day, the band being of such a character as to make these concerts among the most attractive features of the week. During the next week or two the management of the fair will be enabled to announce the series of high-class and novel amusements which will be furnished while the fair lasts. The attractions will be different from those ever before offered the patrons of a big State fair in this part of the United States.

So important is the fair considered by the railroads, that they have already announced a half fare rate from all points in Kentucky, as well as special rates from Tennessee and southern Indiana.

The fair is expected to be bigger and better this year than ever before. Premiums aggregating \$20,000 will be awarded, and in some cases the premiums will be larger than those offered by any other state fair in the country. This is notably so in the jersey rings, where \$800 will be awarded the winners. The association has also set aside \$2,000 for the shorthorn classes, more money than is awarded at any other state fair, except Minnesota. Of this purse, \$500 will be awarded to Kentucky cattle alone.

The handsome catalogues just issued, 15,000 of them, show the important premiums, as follows:

Beef Cattle—Shorthorns, \$2,000, of which \$1,000 is given by the Shorthorn Association; Herefords, \$1,200, of which \$500 is given by the Hereford Association; Aberdeen Angus, \$900, of which \$300 is given by the Aberdeen Angus Association; Polled Durhams, \$650, of which \$300 is given by the Polled Durham Association; Galloways, \$300; Red Polls, \$250.

Dairy Cattle—Jerseys, \$800; Holstein Friesians, \$250; Ayrshires, \$250; Guernseys, \$250.

Swine—Berkshires, \$300; Poland Chinas, \$300; Duroc Jerseys, \$250; Chester Whites, \$200; Tamworths, \$150.

Sheep—Shropshires, \$150; South downs, \$150; Oxford Downs, \$150; Hampshire Downs, \$150; Cotswolds, \$150; Dorsets, \$100; American Merinos, \$100; Rambouillets, \$100; Cheviots, \$100.

For the following classes of horses premiums of \$4,500, nearly 25 per cent. of the total premium fund are offered:

Light Horses—Light harness horses, roadsters, carriage horses, gaited saddle horses, high-steppers and ponies.

Heavy Horses—French draft, Percheron, French and German coach horses, Cleveland bays, Hackney and American coach.

Premiums of \$800 are offered for mules and jacks. At the State fair, which was held in Louisville last fall, the breeders of mules and jacks organized a State association and the association will look to the success of the exhibited this year. Mules and jacks have not been properly recognized in state fairs heretofore, and it is the intention to give them their proper place in the coming exhibitions.

Premiums will be offered for garden and farm products and the work of the women in the kitchen and sewing room.

Catalogues can be had by addressing L. D. Shropshire, Secretary, Room 25, Board of Trade Building, Louisville, Ky.

We Have the Largest and Newest Line of

## Dress - Goods

This side of New York. Such as Crepe de Chine, Etamines, Voiles and Lustre.

No End of Wash Goods of Every Kind. WE HAVE CUT THE PRICE OF MERCERIZED GINGHAM FROM 25c TO 15c.

We Are Still in the Lead With a Full Line of

Carpets, Rugs, Art Squares, Linoleums, Mattings, Etc.

I have been selling Carpets for the last 25 years, but will not say that I am the only Carpet man in 50 miles of Hopkinsville, but will say that I have never made a misfit.

**T. M. Jones.**

**THE Giant Insurance Agency.**

Writes Fire, Tornado, Life, Bond and other kinds of Insurance.

Negotiating Loans a Specialty.

Parties wishing to borrow small or large sums can usually get what they want at this office. No patron has ever invested a dollar through this Agency that was not well secured and which did not prove good.

T. W. Long, President. Walter Kelly, General Manager. Guy Starling, Sec'y. and Treas.

**Old Time Fiddlers' Contest**

**At Gracey**

**Tuesday Night, July 7.**

Valuable prizes for successful contestants. Lengthy and Interesting Program. You Can't Afford to Miss It.

**H. C. McGeehee, B. W. Cowherd, MANAGERS.**

## LARCENY CHARGE.

Young Farmer Accused of Selling His Neighbor's Cow.

George Deason, a young man who lives East of the city, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of stealing a cow belonging to his neighbor. Deason was later indicted for grand larceny by the grand jury. His case is set for the 13th day of the present term of court. He failed to furnish bond.

## WHEAT HARVEST.

Grain Being Cut in Some Sections of Christian.

Wheat harvest commenced in Christian county Wednesday and in some sections much of the grain has already been cut. The crop is much shorter than was figured on a few weeks ago. Some estimate it at 65 per cent. In many sections the crop will not be more than half.

## May Return Here.

The Keach Furniture Co., which has been doing business here since last September, has transferred his business to the Porter Installment Co. Mr. Keach will probably return to Hopkinsville.—Hustler.

## CONTEST AT GRACEY.

Old Time Fiddlers' Entertainment Tuesday Night, July 7.

Gracey is to have an Old Time Fiddlers' Contest. The date of the entertainment is Tuesday night, July 7. The managers, Messrs. Hugh C. McGeehee and B. W. Cowherd, have invited about 30 performers and it is safe to say that nearly all of them will participate. Several from this city have been invited and will take part. Some valuable prizes will be given the successful contestants and the contest promises to be one of the most interesting ever held in this county.

## SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

Gaillstone Size of Hen Egg Removed From Bladder.

Mr. Joe Edwards, the Newstead merchant, who underwent an operation in Nashville, is rapidly improving and will be able to return home in about two weeks. A concretion the size of a hen egg was removed from the bladder.

## Jolly Occasions.

Old Time Fiddlers' Contests will be held in the next week, as follows: Elkton, to-night; Guthrie, next Tuesday night, and Lafayette, next Friday night.